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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 22, 2005, please enter
the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT

It is believed that no extensions of time or fees are required, beyond those that
may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the
event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper,
such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required
(including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-
Packard Development Company's deposit account no. 08-2025.